

## Message Text

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R 132256Z JAN 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE  
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FOR ODC

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MASS, NL, US

SUBJECT: TRANSFER OF MINESWEEPER

REF: A) THE HAGUE 6280 B) HOOKS/SMITH TELCON 12 JAN.

1. PROPOSED QUOTE TRANSFER UNQUOTE OF MAP-ORIGIN MINE-SWEEPER TO DUTCH SEA CADET CORPS PRESENTS DIFFICULT LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROBLEMS AND FOR THAT REASON WE WOULD NOT WISH TO PROCEED ON THAT BASIS.

2. IT IS OUR UNDERSTANDING, HOWEVER, FROM REF B THAT SHIP IS NOT FULLY OPERATIONAL AT PRESENT TIME, THAT IT WILL REMAIN MOORED AT PIER, THAT RNLN PERSONNEL WILL PRO-

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VIDE SUPERVISION AND TRAINING FOR SEA CADETS, AND THAT RNLN WOULD NOT TURN OVER OPERATIONAL CONTROL AND RESPONSIBILITIES. UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES WE ARE PREPARED TO AUTHORIZE USE OF VESSEL FOR SEA CADET ACTIVITIES SO LONG AS RNLN MAINTAINS CUSTODY AND OVERALL OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF VESSEL. YOU MAY SO INFORM APPROPRIATE DUTCH AUTHORITIES.  
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## Message Attributes

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